IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA WESTERN DIVISION NO. 5:10-CV-176-1H

J&J SPORTS PRODUCTION, INC.,)	
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Plaintiff,)	
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v.)	ORDER
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DIRROAD, LLC, d/b/a Zydeco)	
Downtown, and MELVIN HARRIS,)	
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Defendants.)	

This matter is before the court on plaintiff's motion for default judgment, filed December 22, 2010. A review of the record reveals that plaintiff has never properly sought entry of default by the clerk. Therefore, plaintiff's motion for default judgment is premature and is denied without prejudice. Plaintiff may refile the motion, if so desired, following proper motion for entry of default and entry thereof by the clerk.

This 20 day of January 2011.

Malcolm J. Howard

Senior United States District Judge

At Greenville, NC #26